BIG PARADE CLOSED DAY IN CHARLESTON

CONGRESSMAN FADGETT LAUDS THE DANIELS **ADMINISTRATION**

ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT URGED

Commissioners Urge New System to Promote Marketing of Farm Products.

Charleston, Dec. 15.—A military and mayal parade closed national de-fense day of the Southern Commercial congress.

Congressman Padgett, chairman of the house naval committee, lauded Daniels administration. Secretary Daniels and Assistant Secretary Breckenridge also spoke. Support of the administration was urged for the national defense plan.

The association of the southern commissioners of agriculture, in executive session, adopted resolutions calling on congress to establish semiofficial national, state, county and township systems of chambers of agriculture. The sole purpose of the various organizations would be to faciliate and develop marketing and distributing farm products.

THE GERMAN TREASURY IN FIRST CLASS SHAPE

Berlin, Dec. 15.—Doctor Helfferich secretary of the imperial trensury, speaking in reichstag for the pro-posed war credit two and half billion dollars, denied gratements printed in foreign any part of the pro-

dollars, denied statements printed in foreign newspapers that the success of Germany's war loan is fictitious and made possible by loans of subscribers through war credit banks. In s. long expose of the financer of Europe he stated that Germany is in a better condition than the allies to that regard. He intimated that England is greatly surprised at what the war is costing, and conclude; by saying that the responsibility for blood that flows from now on falls not upon Germany, but "upon those who cannot resolve to draw 9, conclusion from Germany's military success, which no one can dispute any longer."

SHERIFF REFUSES TO **EJECT MORE STRIKERS**

Greenville. Det. 15.—Sherin Rector yesterday ejected three families of atrikers from the houses in which they lived at Judson will. The house which has been three years:

Noxt year the convention meets with the First Haplist church at Newberry, The meeting will be held beinglight and wore wet today by the rain, siset and snow. Scanty covering was spread to protect the goods.

was spread to proled the goods.

Shorts Rector today said that he had a tender feeling for the troubled people said whild not days to eject any of the defendants today. He sail that were remained but one more family who lid was ordered to eject at this time.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE WANTS LABORATORY

Washington, Dec. 25.—The advisors countities on aeronauties, an pointed by President Wilson last year in its first upper through the president to congrest, recommends an appropriation of \$80.000 for and aeronautical laboratory and special tests to develop a recipient appear motor for aeroplanes. Many accidents are entired because the avantor's out's gauge their spect.

American Note Critical.

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MAJOR HYDE OF CHARLES TON WILL SERVE NEXT YEAR

ADJOURNED ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Last Day of Convention Considered Many Matters of Importance in State.

Greenville, Dec. 15 .- With the election of Maj. T. T. Hyde of Char-leston for president, the Baptist convention adjourned its present annual session last night at 10:15 o'clock. The election of officers came as the last important matter for the consideration of the convention, and as usual there was a great deal of in-terest shown by the delegates who

The delegates left this morning for their homes in the various parts of

The day had been given to the consideration of aged ministers' relief work; the orphanage, social welfare and public more is and the Baptists hospital. The reports were all very

gratifying.

The chief point of interest came when retiring president Dr. Z. T Cody announced that nominations Cody announced that nominations were in order for president of the convention, Maj. T. T. Hyde of Charleston, Col. E. N. K. Halley of Green-wood and M. C. B. Babb of Laurens, were placed in nomination, Maj. Hyde received a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, Col. Balley and Mr. Bobo were then elected vice presidents of the convention. The other officers elected as follows.

other officers elected as follows: Secretary Dr. C. A. Jones, assistant secretary, Rev. B. R. Reaves, of Hones, Path; auditor, Mr. James A. Hoyt, of Columbia; treasurer, Mr. C. B. Bobo, of Laurens; statistical secretary, Fiz. W. E. Wilkins, of Greenville.

The new president of the conven-tion, Maj. T. T. Hyde was recently elected mayor of Charleston. He is al-So superintendent of the Citadal Source Baptist church Sunday school. His work in the affairs of the denomination is such as to bring to him the highest commendation from the convention at large and of every Baptist in Source Baptist

The convention adourned at 10:15 o'clock last night after singing the old hymn, "Blest be the Me that binds," and after prayer the president's gavel sounded and the 1915 convention of the Sout hCarolina Baptists passed into history.

Waste Marerial in Demand,
New York, Dac. 15.—War sent
prices of waste material to such a
leight that the country is alikest
here of such products, according to
reports to the national association
waste material dealers.
Demand for souten resulted in much
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coloud wool fass are actually bringmanufacturing a miniar arrount raw
wool, owing to the dye on the rags
and rolor feasible.

VILLA SOLDIERS KILLED

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Sultate several hundred Ellis solutions are alless and

Will von Nuber Also Be Recalled?



Captain Franz von Papen

Investigation of the alleged German proceed not only against Dr. Alexan-ples and plotters in this country is der von Nuber, but against all Ger-olng forward rapidly. Captain von apen and Captain Boy-Ed await been mixed up in the elleged nationsples and plotters in this country is going forward rapidly. Captain von Papen and Captain Boy-Ed await word from their government as to their return. Dr. von Nuber, Austrian consul in New York city, will prob-



Dr. Alexander von Nuber

wide plot to cripple ammunition

consul in New York city, will probably be indicted soon.

Wholesale arrests are expected to follow in the next few days and the government, it was stated, expects to attaches of the German embassy.

Captain Karl Boy-Ed.

Major Herwarth von Blittenfeld, military attache in Washington several years ago and now official Berlin cenyears ago and now official Berlin censor of American news, and Captain Ewald Hecker, director of German Red Cross work in this country, are being considered for von Papen's place. Commander Thierickens of the interned Prinz Ediel-Friedrich has been mentioned as Boy-Ed's successor.

ANGLO-FRENCH LOAD

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BOY-EO AND VON PAPEN PEACE IS DECLARED GET SAFE CONDUCT

Leiters From State Department Terms Arranged Between Na-Setting Forth Status Will Be Sufficient.

Washington, Dec. 15 .- The British sersonally informed Secretary Lansing today that he was authorized to say for France and Great Britain that the allied naval forces would not mo-lest Captains Boy-Ed and von Papen, the regalled German naval and mili-tary situaties, on their homeward voyage from the United States.

Letters from the state department setting forth their status, would con-situte their safe conduct.

disavowal of the course of the submarine commander responsible for the sinking of the Italian liner An-cons and approves his conduct thor-oughly.

oughly.

The admirally declares that the commander would have been considered falling to perform his duty if he allowed the Ancona to escape.

The reply to the American note, it is understood, will be delivered possibly Wednesday.

WILL TAKE BLOODSHED TO ABOLISH POLYGAM

Washington, Dec. 15.—Brigider Gesteral Frank McLutyre, chief of the bursan of Insular afflicts, today told the sample committee that polygamy could not be prevented without great bloodshed in the Elaffapines. He suggested that presented against third instringes by stricter from the could for the business.

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IN BASEBALL CIRCLES

tional and Federal League Ends Long War.

AUSTRAN ADMIRALY

STANDS TO SUBMARIAF

Vienna, Dec. 15.—(Courier to Bertin.)—The Austro-Hungarian admiralty is entirely opposed to any disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disayowal of the course of the substantial players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that is a baseball players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that is a baseball players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that is a baseball players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that is a baseball players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that is a baseball players market was disabled to have the magnates anneanced that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues, said traight that there would be only two leagues a committee from the other would be only two leagues and national. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal. At a later segue would be only two leagues and an Austonal that the appear of the substantial that the appear of the substantial that the appear of the substantial that the ap

that the baseball players' market was

Southern League. Southern League.

Birmingham, Det. 15.—R. H.
Baugh, was re-elected president of
the Southern league, and a schedule
of 140 games and a milary limit of
\$2,500 and fourteen men, were provided for at the director's annual
meeting today. Mobile decised—to
remain in the league when the salary
limit was lowered.

N'KELLAR WILL BE TEANESCEE SENATOR

Nashville, Dec. 15.—Congressman Kennth McKellar of Mempita, won the democratic non-massa for Unit-id States emator. He detented form at Governos Malcoru R. Patterson in a rim of primary by an estimated majority of 15.605. Patterson has collected his detent.

A MILLS STRODUCED

Washington, Der. 15—Re.

Presentative Steiman of Acres Carelina, introduced a self inday providing one cent postage within this postoffice intil and Representative. Apariman of Plorada one so in Propriety 5,000 in exact a response on the site of these managers in Steiner.

Southly Fullds.

CONSIDERED SUGGESS

Part Withdrawn for Investment and Part Disposed of in Other Ways.

Chicago, Doe. 15.—American league magnates late today agreed to the peace terms recently arranged in New York, Dec. 10.—american the peace terms recently arranged in New York between the National and Pederal league and the end of the baseball war is in eight. Although details of the peace proposals were not given out, it is understood that the Federals will be combined with the Federals will be combined with the Federals will be combined with president Ban Johnson of the American President Ban Johnson of the American Resident President Ban Johnson of the American Resident or \$180,000,000 would be distributed among the members of the syndicate. The syndicate representatives said that the result established the success of the flotation. Nearly \$1,000,000 worth of Anglo-French bonds, sold on the stock exchange today, was a feature of the activities of bond market.

ASSURES NO TROUBLE

Peking, Dec. 15,-To the advice of the British, Japanese, Russian, Frenc's and Italian diplomatic representatives, that the change in form of sontatives, that the change in torm of the Chinese government should be ac-complished without disturbance, Lu Chang-Helang, Phinese foreign min-labor, gave assurances today that there would be no trouble.

GENERAL FRENCH IS RELEIVED OF COMMAND

Loulon, Dec. 15.—General Sir Pougles Haly has been appointed to succeed Field Marchal Sir John French in command of the British armies in France and Planders.

In official Satisfient cought says that General France and resident to be relieved of the command of the expeditionary forces. Ha was offered the position of field marchal of the special of England and see plot His was made a - could be the relieved of the position of the marchal of the position of field marchal of the position of the position of the position of the field in dispatches from the front.

SECOND PHASE OF BALKAN GAMPAIGN

FOOD CROPS PEOPLE AWAIT

NEW RECORDS IN VARIOUS CROPS TO FEED THE WORLD

BOTH IN VALUE AND PRODUCTION

Wheat and Sweet Potatoes Lead the List in the Increase

Washington, Dec. 15.—With the United States harvesting the largest United States harvesting the largest crops which are bringing war prices, the value of the nation's harvest amounts to \$5.568,773,000, making 1915 a banner year, both as to value and production, according to the department of agriculture's announce-

THE COTTON GINNED IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Anderson County More Than Last Year While State at Large

Sam L. Rogers, director of the con sus department of commerce, announces the preliminary report of cotton ginned by counties in South Carolina, for the crops of 1915, and 1914. The report was made public for the state at 10 a. m. on Wednesday December 8

day, December 8... Quantities are in running bales, counting round as half bales, Linters are not included.

Courtey.	1915	1914
Abbeville	26,597	28,555
Alken	33,715	42,571
Amderson	51,964	49,050
Bamberg	14,267	24,807
Anderson Bamberg Barnwell Beaufort Berkeley	33,688	54,677
Beaufort.	3,417	0,918
Berkeley	8,611	13,721
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Calhoun. Charleston	7.198	11 720
Cherokeo	12,592	14,264
Charleston Cherokeo. Chester. Chesterfield	27,343	29,377
Chesterfield	25,801	28,620
		41,897
Colleton	12,780	19,576
Darlington	. 29,618	37.089
Colleton	27,403	32,361
Dorchester.,	10,288	15,542
Edgefield	25,804	28,189
Fairfield	20,407	20,277
Edgefield Fairfield Florence Georgetown	27,39L	38,440
Georgetown	2,143	4.206
		38,260
Green wood	25,141	27,054
Hampton	11,336	19,223
Horry	7,011	8,407
Jasper,	2,865	5,762
Kerahaw	23,175	25,448
Greenwood, Hampton Horry, Jusper, Kernhaw Lancaster	18,837	20,448
Laurens.	34,675	33.337
Lee.	28,869	26,256 21,847
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Marion.	12,474	12317
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ALLIED FORCES ARE SAFE ACROSS THE GREEK BORDER

THE NEXT MOVE

Seems Fairly Well Settled That Bulgars Will Not Invada Greece.

London, Dec. 15.-The plase of the Easkan campaign clos-ed with the entents ailies forces safely across the Greek border and in a strongly fortified base at Saloniki,

where reinforcements arrive daily. The people of the belligerent countries anxiously await the next move. Bulgarians don't intend to invade Greece. It would bleely cause dissensions in that country which already is uneasy over the Bulgarian occupation of Monistir. It is also believed that the Teutons haven't enough troops available to attack the allies.

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Speculation naturally deals with centrated near Monistir and Doiran and on the Rumanian border and Go the Germans and their intentions. They are variously reported as compreparing for an attempt to drive the entente allies from Gallipoli. The reports are unconfirmed.

Military observers it as certain that the Germans have to keep a close watch on the Rumanian side to meet the threat of Hussian invasion through Rumania. Wherever the Germans they will find the entente allies prepared. Saloniki is being made stronger daily and has the backling of warships. The entente positions on Gallipoli are also stronger-ened.

The Russians are believed to be able to cope with any army the Tentons may collect on the Russian horse. Bayes also had had a state of defease.

Many believe that the Germans intend quiescence in the near case and try for a victory on the western front. Persistent reports from Holland tell of the concentration of German armies in Belgium and Luxemburg with the intention of striking as soon as the greater part of the country by mind.

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The report of the country by mind. for the army air raids the entente ai-lies are making behind the German

BULGARIANS NOT PURSUING ALLIES

The Bulgarians have it is definitely declared stopped pursuit of See fiseing allies in the Balkans, and not to have crossed into Greek territory. It is believed in many quarters neither the Bulgarians nor the Germans will cross the boundary. Contrary to previous reports, it is said allied retreat was orderly and that all sup-

previous reports, it is said allied retreat was orderly and that all supplies were sayed.

They were last reported within twenty-five miles of Saloniki.

The Turkish war office declares advantage in Mesopotamian fighting in still wit its Suitan's treops. It is reported they cut down British artillory activity with counter attacks.

Constantinople reports continued artillery fighting at Dardanelles with sporadic mine and bomb fighting.

Cost of the war is a subject of discussion and reports in both refensing and the French chamber of deputies. The finance secretary of Germany reports farmar, mentry conditions superfor to those of her enemies.

Appropriation estimates of French are unde on the baits that the war will cost much more during the first quarter uset year than it has in post few months.

No Bulgarians in Greece.
Athens, Dec. 15.—The Greek government denies reports that Bulgarians have entered Greek territory.

WILL Release Greek this Parts. De. 15.—A Mayes dispatch from Athens say the Greek press reports the allies have decided to resuse direct chips defining at allied not. Enterth minibates have referred to ac have interned the greens to